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Ironton, Missouri,
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

No ice put up this winter.
The sick folk are improving.
Thunder last Friday. More frost in May?

White Mountain Layer Cake Saturday at The Bakery.—Adv.

Mr. Schafer re-opened the picture show Tuesday night.

Since the new card became effective train No. 8 is running on time.

The Reed Hotel, west of the courthouse, has gone out of business.

Car for sale, cheap.
J. F. ROBERTSON, Arcadia, Mo.

Read the opening chapter of "Wooden Spill" in this week's REGISTER.

Several light snows the past week. Cold and spitting snow this (Wednesday) morning.

Lost—In Ironton on February 12th, a Brooch. Return to this office and receive reward.

I noticed the car riding at night has stopped, presumably because of the inclement weather. X.

Manager Ringo says the Clearing Sale at the Lopez Store has been a great success. Just four days more.

Setting Eggs for Sale. \$1.05 and \$1.50 for setting of 15. Fertility guaranteed.
POLLOCK BROS., Arcadia, Mo.

For Sale—Several Bedsteads, Dressers and Rocking Chairs.
MRS. R. T. WHITE, Ironton, Mo.

Nicholas Alliger, who recently sold his farm, east of town, last week removed to St. Francois county, where he lately bought a farm, located near Farmington.

The debating team from the Ironton High School will engage in joint debate with the team from the Kirkwood High School at Kirkwood next Saturday night.

That fellow at the light plant evidently suits his own convenience as to when he shall have service, as absolutely no regard is paid to the schedule. It is abominable and outrageous.

W. C. Johnson of Middlebrook was in town Friday. Mr. Johnson has been serving on the jury in the Federal Court in St. Louis since January 4th and hardly expects to be discharged before March 10th.

On the first page will be found an item taken from the Colton, California, Information, in reference to Jas. E. Doty. Jim Doty was born and reared in Ironton and twenty-five years ago was an attaché of this office.

R. C. Love and wife have returned to their home in Bismarck after spending a couple of months in Austin, Texas. Robert writes that they had a very nice time but are mighty glad to get back to old Missouri.

T. D. Shriver, deputy internal revenue collector, asks the REGISTER to state that he will be in Calcedonia, March 4th and Belgrade, March 5th, for the purpose of assisting taxpayers in preparation of their individual federal income tax returns.

Mr. A. J. Sheahan of Graniteville was in Ironton Saturday. He tells us that because of influenza the quarries have been practically closed down for the past three weeks or more. He hopes to have things "up and going" again this week, however.

Greenville Sun: "Mrs. J. L. Strader and niece, Miss Johnnie Bridges, returned Monday from Piedmont, where they have been for the past two weeks assisting in the care of the family of Lee Strader, who have all had the flu. Lee and family are much better."

Mrs. Fred Kindell, Sr., last week gave us a copy of the San Antonio, Texas, Evening News, containing a fine picture of Fred W. Kiddie, past grand of San Antonio Lodge, No. 11, I. O. O. F. Years ago Fred was an Ironton boy, well remembered by our older residents.

Walter Fisher, Jr., who has been employed in a mercantile establishment at Irondale for a year or so, was in Ironton last week. He has severed his connections at Irondale and contemplates engaging in the grocery business with his brother, Fred, in Springfield, Mo.

The State Highway Commission in locating the proposed State Highway between Ironton and Pilot Knob intends changing the road from the east to the west side of the railroad track. This change will do away with two dangerous railroad crossings and save the building of two bridges.

Mr. A. I. Willard, local representative of the Central States Life Insurance Company, last Friday received a check for \$3,000 from the home office in favor of Mrs. Jessie Dent Boardman in payment of a life insurance policy held by her husband, the late Albert J. Boardman, who died February 13th. Certainly prompt payment.

Miss Blanche M. Evans has resigned as postmistress at Arcadia and a civil service examination will be held March 13th for applicants for the place. Miss Blanche, it is said, is going to be married, but she hasn't confided her secret to us. If she is going to take the fatal step, however, we certainly wish for her all the happiness in the world.

At an adjourned session of the County Court Monday the following road overseers were named for their districts in the county:
Dist. No. 1—Perry Sutton.
" " 2—Wm. Huff.
" " 3—Wm. Selinger.
" " 4—J. H. Campbell.
" " 5—W. E. Westerman.
" " 6—W. H. Webb.

Mrs. Emma Hills of St. Louis has issued cards announcing the marriage of her daughter, Ruth Paradine, and Mr. George Grady Ogle, Saturday, January 10th, St. Charles, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Ogle are at home 4700 Mo-Millan avenue. To the bride, born and reared in Ironton, and a most admirable young lady, the REGISTER extends best wishes for a long and happy life!

The REGISTER acknowledges the receipt of the February number of the "Vox Arcadiensis," a publication issued by the pupils of Arcadia College. It is bright and school newy, with matter of interest to outside and older readers. We congratulate the youthful editors and wish for the work of their hands and brains long existence and increasing influence.

Clay & Turley report the sale of the Kollmeyer farm, located about two and one-half miles south of Farmington. This farm was owned by Everett Chartrau and sold to Nicholas Alliger, of Iron County. It is one of the best improved farms in the county. The price paid was about \$11,000. We are glad to welcome Mr. Alliger to citizenship in our county.—Farmington News.

Geo. M. Johnson, who was here from Annapolis last week, says that the Annapolis Lead Company is arranging to sink a shaft without more delay. Machinery and material for the shaft are on the ground and it is announced work will be started at once. There is a demand for all kinds of labor and a representative of the Company was recently dispatched to the Lead Belt in St. Francois county to try and secure some carpenters.

Recorder Hawkins issued the following marriage licenses the past week:

Opal Woolford and Ida Ashire of Flat River.

Thomas Hibdon of Linn Creek and Nora L. Jennings of Redmondville.

Louise Welsh and Jessie Long of Minnium.

Otto H. Ernst and Frances B. Kemper of St. Louis.

Stanley Backer and Goldie Palmer of Ironton.

Roscoe M. Lacey and Grace M. Reed of Poplar Bluff.

Charles Franklin Hargadine died at the home of Mrs. La Plante in Arcadia, Saturday, February 21st, at 6 o'clock A. M. The deceased was born December 9th, 1859, at Oerla, Ill. He came to Arcadia from Chicago in 1909 and engaged in the contracting and decorating business. On January 30th he suffered a stroke of paralysis from which he never recovered. He suffered greatly and gradually grew weaker. The funeral occurred from the residence Sunday afternoon, Rev. Stone conducting the services, and interment was made in the K. P. cemetery. Peace to his ashes.

The sad news came last Thursday of the death of A. J. Boardman at his home at Arcadia, of deep cold and possibly the flu. Mr. Boardman for several years was cashier of the Bank of Fredericktown, resigning to organize the Bank of Arcadia of which he has been cashier for something over nine years. He married Miss Jessie Davis, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Davis and she and two small children survive him. Mr. Boardman was very successful in business and is said to have left a rather large estate.—Fredericktown Democrat-News.

Our esteemed and venerable citizen, Christian Osterle, celebrated his 83rd birthday at his home on Monday, February 16, Rev. L. G. Marlin and family, Rev. S. C. Biffle and wife and Mrs. Anna McGinnis were present. Mrs. Osterle went beyond her usual splendid ability in preparing the birthday dinner, and their hearts were made glad by gifts and letters from their family and friends. Mr. Osterle's days have been many and full of usefulness and his health is still excellent. The many friends of Mr. Osterle unite in expressing their best regards to him and hope he may still enjoy many more happy days among us.—Bismarck Gazette.

For Sale—Forty acres of timberland, section 7, township 33, range 4 east, one mile south of Arcadia. Price \$200. Address:
HENRY ARNOLD, Oconee, Ills.

PERSONAL.

Emil Roehry spent Sunday in Ironton.

A. Roehry was in St. Louis last week.

Mrs. F. E. DeWeese is here from St. Louis.

Dr. Marshall is convalescing after a week's illness.

L. A. La Plante of St. Louis was a valley visitor Sunday.

Miss Jessie Holloman of Hogan was an Ironton visitor Saturday.

Cal Providence and John Kelly of Des Arc were in Ironton Saturday.

Misses Lela and Blanche O'Neal were Ironton visitors Sunday.

Misses Louise and Blue Eyes Gross visited friends in Piedmont last week.

Miss Allie Patton is here from Farmington to spend some time with her mother.

Every department, every nook and corner of the store has its quota of special bargains for the big sale.

LOPEZ STORE CO.

School Notes.

Miss Russell has been absent because of illness.

The attendance is improving. Conditions will soon be normal. The last months of school should be the best. We appeal to every patron for his cooperation and support.

Marion Huff and Frank Reagan will go to Kirkwood February 28 to engage in a debating contest.

The class in Agriculture is studying farm management.

Through the kindness of Mr. Middleton, the high school has been enjoying a Star phonograph.

Highest market price paid for Lumber and Ties of all kinds.

J. F. ROBERTSON, Arcadia, Mo.

Clothes pressed and cleaned. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 192.

GEO. TULLOCK, Ironton, Mo.

Buy it at Lopez's in February.—Adv.

Fourth-Class Postmaster Examination.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Arcadia, Mo., on March 13, 1920, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth-class postmaster at Arcadia, Mo., and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill any vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$723 for the last fiscal year.

Applicants must have reached their twenty-first birthday on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a State where women are declared by statute to be at full age for all purposes at eighteen years, women eighteen years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted.

Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the postoffice for which the examination is announced.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application blanks, Form 1753, and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington, D. C., at the earliest practical date.

Methodist Prayer Meeting Notes.

The prayer meeting has been reorganized and an interesting and profitable meeting will be held every Wednesday evening.

Following is the program for Wednesday, February 25th:

Song.

Prayer.

Song.

Scripture Reading.

Prayer.

Special Music.

Scripture Reference.

Sentence Prayers.

Review and application of lesson.

Every one is requested to read the following Reference: John, xiv-6, Psalms, C-5, John, xvii-37, Psalms, xix-8, Nehemiah, ix-13-14, Jeremiah, xlii-10-11, Ezekiel, xlii-10-11, Ephesians, iv-14, Lesson, Text First Peter 1-25?

Come to the prayermeeting and bring your friends with you.

Slashing reductions have been made in all ladies' ready-to-wear and men's and boys' clothing for the big sale.

LOPEZ STORE CO.

State Income Tax.

The time for making your state income tax returns to the undersigned Assessor expires March 1st. If your return is not filed with me prior to that date you are liable to a fine of \$500. All single persons having a net income of \$1,000 or more and all married persons with a net income of \$2,000 or more are required to make returns. This is the final warning and unless you want to save yourself all kinds of trouble and expense be sure and have your return in my hands prior to March 1st. The income tax must be paid by June and is payable to Mr. B. P. Burnham, County Collector. Send your money to him but send your return to me. I shall have to enforce the law with all delinquents so please act at once.

JOHN I. MARSHALL, Assessor Iron County.

Resolution of Respect.

Hall of Ironton Chapter No. 349, Order of Eastern Star, February 23rd, 1920.

To the worthy Matron, Sisters and members of Ironton Chapter No. 349: Your committee, appointed to draft resolutions on the death of our late Brother, Albert J. Boardman, beg leave to report as follows:

Again we are reminded of our uncertain tenure of life, and called upon to record the passing of a friend and Brother.

Brother Albert J. Boardman is dead. The announcement was a great shock, as few had learned that he was ill.

In two days he passed from the active pursuits of life to the silence of the tomb, leaving a widow and two children to mourn his loss. He was born in Indiana the 5th day of April, 1880, and died at Arcadia, Mo., the 13th day of February, 1920. He was a member of Ironton Chapter No. 349, O. E. S.—joining under duress from Fredericktown (Mo.) Chapter. Not quite forty years of age, he was suddenly stricken and has gone to that "undiscovered bourne" to which we must all go soon.

Another link of our fraternal chain has fallen away in death and we shall meet and greet him in our earthly lodge no more. We will miss you, Brother, and feel assured that your tiny bark will reach a peaceful anchorage upon the bosom of the Eternal Sea.

He was a good citizen, an honest man, and a true and faithful brother of our order. We extend to his bereaved widow and children our earnest sympathy, and join them in mourning his sudden passing. Peace be with you, Brother Boardman.

MARY E. KINDELL, GRACE WHITWORTH, WM. R. EDGAR, Committee.

Des Arc Items.

Our town's again made sad by the death of Mrs. Etha Myers, wife of Corbit Myers. She was the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hickman of Des Arc, and was born and reared here. She died at Joplin, Mo., and was 34 years old. She leaves a husband and two little girls. She was buried at Joplin.

Mrs. W. M. Cooper died at her home in St. Louis February 14th. The remains were brought to Des Arc and interred in the Des Arc cemetery. She leaves a husband and three children.

Rev. Warren and Rev. Bess, pastor of the M. Church in Piedmont, are holding a revival meeting here. The meeting will continue throughout the week. Rev. Bess is a fine preacher. It will pay you to go and hear him.

Lumber has gone out of sight in price. Walls Bros. sold a car of inch boards delivered on car at \$55. When I was in the saw mill business I got 50 cents for a car of inch oak boards and thought I was doing well. E. W. Fitz took an inspector out around Brunot and bought all the inch and two inch lumber at five mills. The lumber was inspected at the mills. ISAAC.

The Lutheran Church.

Divine services next Sunday, February 29th, will be as follows:

At Pilot Knob—Sunday School at 1:30 P. M.; sermon at 2 P. M.

At Ironton—Sermon at 7:30 P. M.

The pastor will preach the second of a series of Lenten sermons. The theme: "Whom has Jesus Christ Redeemed?" Come and hear the "Preaching of the Cross." Strangers are always welcome.

H. C. HARTING, Pastor.

Annapolis News.

Cloudy and rainy Sunday morning. John P. Seal is still watching at the mines, but claims the mines are playing "haunted" on him. He heard a baby crying and some pistol shots last Wednesday night as plain as he ever heard anything in his life, but could find nothing and just put it up the place was "haunted," and he would stay with it until he could catch the "haunt," and the reason he believes it was a "haunt" is that there are no babies nearer than a half mile and no one to shoot a pistol or gun. And if it should be heard any more he intends to catch it with a load of buck shot. He has gone home to be with his family a day or two, and D. A. Worley is watching until his return.

Green Brewer of Black River, Reynolds county, died last Thursday morning from influenza and was buried in the Hyatt's Creek cemetery Saturday. He leaves a widow, two sons and four daughters to mourn the loss of a good husband and father. The deceased was about sixty years old, and born and reared in Reynolds county.

We are in receipt of a letter from W. A. Henson of Frankfort saying that his family have had the "flu" and some are yet in bed.

R. Moody of Elvins, a long-time friend of your correspondent, was in Annapolis the past week.

W. S. Gunter's baby died last Friday morning. The remains were taken to Doe Run for interment. Among those who went to Doe Run were Mrs. Mathina Bolch, Joseph Alcorn, Mrs. H. Collins and others. The bereaved parents have much sympathy.

The Missouri Pacific officials were here last week inspecting the new railroad to the mines. Car load after car load of machinery is being received for the mines.

Mrs. James Brown of Bear Branch is recovering from influenza and pneumonia.

John R. Kitchell, of Haleyville, Oklahoma, was called to Piedmont last week, where his family is sick with influenza and pneumonia.

James L. Cottle has sold his team to his son-in-law, John Goodman, for \$250.

C. L. Collins of Sabula was here Sunday visiting H. Collins and family.

James Midkiff is still receiving black walnut logs and there is a lot of them coming in. Some logs are three feet in circumference and some trees are thirty feet to the first limb.

Some one stole Squire Kitchell's ax the past week. The ax has a secret brand on it and the thief will be detected if he doesn't pass it back to its place.

Alex Morton has two teams of very large mules hauling walnut logs from James Rutter's farm on Black River. John and Walter Debord went out there this week to cut logs at \$2 a day and board.

BULLETIN.

Bellevue News.

Mrs. Geo. Hartzell of Ironton was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Hartzell a few days of last week.

John Ricketts returned Monday from a month's visit with his parents in Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

Quincy Emboden of New Mexico was visiting old friends and relatives here last week.

Mrs. A. A. Meador of Flat River spent a few days of last week with her sister, Mrs. David Lasater.

Miss Jessie Helderman, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. M. Andrews, returned to Fredericktown Saturday.

Miss Ruth Bynum, whose school in Columbus, Ky., was closed for a week or so on account of influenza, is home for that period.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Campbell, Mrs. J. A. Townsend and Mrs. J. H. Campbell were shopping in Farmington Saturday.

O. R. Robinson of Arcadia Bank spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Townsend were in Ironton Friday.

From Goodland.

We had a light fall of snow one night but next day it soon dissolved under the genial rays of sun.

Every body is talking "garden seeds." Farmers are fixing fences, burning brush and cleaning out their stables.

The roads are getting passable in some places. In our last communication we stated that Mrs. Whitman, of Ohio had gone home. This was a mistake. The lady though very anxious to return to her family was unable to get conveyance to the railroad until Saturday when Wm. Vandall and sister took her to Glover.

The sad death of Monroe Black cast gloom over our community. He was buried in the Wm. Stricklin cemetery where lie the remains of his first wife and two little sons. He leaves a wife, three sons and one little daughter to mourn the loss of a good husband and father. The funeral services were conducted by the Masonic fraternity and Dr. Adams spoke a few words of cheer to the sorrowing ones and words of warning to our boys on the subject of cigarette smoking.

We attended the funeral of Mrs. Vest at Goodwater on Friday. The dear lady was one of God's elect and will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

Mrs. Margaret Adams of Goodland suffered a slight paralytic stroke Monday morning but has improved.

ACADEMY THEATRE

DUSTIN FARNUM

In a Gripping Story of
East and West

A MAN'S FIGHT

The winning of a woman's love against tremendous odds.

THURSDAY, FEB. 26. Admission, 11c and 22c

VIVIAN MARTIN

"Little Comrade"

WHEN Bobbie saw Genevieve overcome every obstacle to milking that cow that he said, "Gosh! That dame's got grit. She'd make SOME sweetheart!"

Sh! Girls! Maybe this picture has a hint for you. Come to see it anyway.

SATURDAY, FEB. 28. Admission, 10c and 17c

HAROLD LLOYD COMEDY

"THE GREAT GAMBLE" Episode 12.

Ford Weekly

TUESDAY, MARCH 2. Admission, 10c and 15c

since. We hope to soon hear of her complete recovery.

Mr. George Vanover and family have moved to Arkansas.

Albert Brooks is visiting his brother, David R. in southern Missouri.

Frank Pierce has moved to Arkansas.

Monroe Mayfield occupies Pierce's farm.

Albert Turner of Oates was the guest of G. G. Adams lately.

We are very sorry to learn of the death of Mr. Boardman.

Maggie Williams is clerking in Mr. Wolfe's store.

Kerry White is quite sick with mumps and old fashioned "grip."

Mr. and Mrs. Wadlow are slowly recovering from "flu."

Redmond Black has sold his farm and will soon leave us for the far west. We certainly regret the departure of this estimable family.

Dr. Adams has opened his sugar camp.

Mr. Brookshire's letter in the REGISTER is all right, though we are unable to see any fault in "Patron's" letter.

We hope the letters concerning Prohibition will cease before some of us are struck dead for blasphemy. The idea of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ upholding the liquor traffic is sacrilegious.

TIMOTHY HAY.

Marble Creek Items.

We hear the "flu" is still raging.

Mrs. Stella Dunn visited relatives in Ironton last week.

Mrs. H. R. Willett returned to St. Louis Friday.

Mrs. Emma Jones has been visiting her mother in Arcadia the past week.

Mrs. Carrie Thompson and children visited her sister, Mrs. B. M. Patterson, Thursday.

Mr. Claud Dunn went to town Saturday.

Mrs. L. F. Knight went to town Friday.

Our school is still closed on account of the influenza.

Wm. Shular transacted business in Arcadia Saturday.

Mrs. Lena White and daughter, Emma, visited her sister, Mrs. Jas. Ivester, Sunday.

Feb'y 16. DOLLY VARDEN.

Sunshine once more.

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Mrs. J. T. Dunn was in Ironton Friday.

AT ONCE. Address the Globe Printing Company, Publishers, St. Louis, Missouri.—Adv.

Present market conditions make our special bargain sale offerings all the more pronounced. LOPEZ STORE CO.

Teachers' Examination.

The next regular Teachers' Examination will be held at the Public School building in Ironton, Friday and Saturday, March 5-6; all teachers who desire to make certificates are urged to be present and take the examination.

ORDER OF SUBJECTS—FIRST DAY.

Geography, 8 to 9:30 A. M.
Language, 9 to 10:30 A. M.
Algebra, 10 to 11:30 A. M.
Orthography, 11 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
Grammar, 1:30 to 3 P. M.
Arithmetic, 3:30 to 4 P. M.
Literature, 4:30 to 5 P. M.
Reading, 4:30 to 6 P. M.

SECOND DAY.
Civil Government, 9 to 9:30 A. M.<